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Practitioner's Docket No. D-1154 R2

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of: **Parmelee, et al.**  
Serial No.: **09/683,943**  
Confirm. No.: **5493**  
Filed: **March 5, 2002**  
For: **Automated Transaction System  
Digital Signature System And Method**

Art Unit 2133

Examiner  
**Nadia Khoshnoodi**

**Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD  
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (37 C.F.R. 41.31)**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner, mailed October 6, 2005, twice rejecting claims 1-32.

**1. STATUS OF APPLICANT**

This application is on behalf of other than a small entity.

**2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 41.20(b)(1), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

Other than a small entity \$500.00

Notice of Appeal fee due \$500.00

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